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SUBJECT: STATUS OF REV. CHO WHA-SOON

1. AS DEPARTMENT AWARE, REV. MISS CHO WHA-SOON, A METHODIST INDUSTRIAL MISSIONARY WAS ARRESTED FOLLOWING EARLY MAY PROTEST PRAYER SERVICE OF WOMEN FACTORY WORKERS. SHE WAS INTERROGATED BY KCIA AND WAS HELD THREE MONTHS IN INCHON.

2. SHE WAS SUBSEQUENTLY RELEASED IN EARLY AUGUST. NO FORMAL CHARGES WERE MADE AGAINST HER. AFTER HER RELEASE FROM PRISON, SHE SPENT A FEW DAYS IN AN INCHON HOSPITAL.

ACCORDING TO MISSIONARY SOURCES, SHE HAS SINCE THEN RESUMED HER RELIGIOUS AND SOCIAL SERVICE ACTIVITIES AMONG WOMEN FACTORY WORKERS AND SLUM DWELLERS OF INCHON.
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